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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/791,051	Applicant(s) CHOO ET AL.	
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Date of Interview: 15 January 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: 21 and 26.

Identification of prior art discussed: Ng.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed the amendment filed on 12/11/2008. Applicant argues that the prior art of record fails to teach the clamping force that transverse to the outward force. Examiner expained that Figs. 7-10 of Ng teach the recitation where the clamping force is different than the first direction. Examiner will expain more detail in the next office action.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Paul D Kim/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3729	
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